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FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT

LS 7204

BILL NUMBER: HB 1643

NOTE PREPARED: Jan 13, 2003

BILL AMENDED:

SUBJECT: Health care for the uninsured.

FIRST AUTHOR: Rep. Hasler

FIRST SPONSOR:

BILL STATUS: As Introduced

FUNDS AFFECTED:

**GENERAL
DEDICATED
FEDERAL**

IMPACT: Pending

Summary of Legislation: Requires the office of the secretary of family and social services (office) to cooperate and assist Health Indiana, a nonprofit organization, in providing health care to uninsured residents by: (1) determining eligibility for the program; (2) issuing plan cards to eligible individuals; and (3) operating a toll free telephone number for participants in the program to receive referrals. Requires the office to: (1) determine whether a potential participant is eligible for any other state or federal assistance program; and (2) inform individuals who seek assistance from the office about federal, state, and privately run programs available to the individual and the method by which the individual may obtain program services.

Effective Date: July 1, 2003.

Explanation of State Expenditures: *As of the above date, the fiscal analysis of this bill has not been completed. Please contact the Office of Fiscal and Management Analysis for an update of this fiscal impact statement.*

Explanation of State Revenues:

Explanation of Local Expenditures:

Explanation of Local Revenues:

State Agencies Affected:

Local Agencies Affected:

Information Sources:

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